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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE (Case No. MBHB00-919-D 250/111)

In re Application of: Thompson)	
)	Group Art Unit: 1635
App. No.: 09/630,846)	
)	Examiner: K. Lacourciere
Filed: August 2, 2000)	
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For: Improved Polymearase III Based)	RECEIVED
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REQUEST FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant hereby requests a one-month extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action mailed on November 5, 2001. With this one-month extension, applicant's response is due by March 5, 2002. The requisite extension fee of \$550.00 accompanies this request.

Respectfully submitted,

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